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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicant(s) : Wang et al.  
Filed : April 19, 2001  
Title : Sulfur Dye Protection Systems And Compositions And Methods  
Employing Same  
TC/A.U. : 1751  
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

This is in response to the Notice dated 5/8/03 relating to the Amendment filed under the Voluntary Revised Practice. (The Notice indicates that the Amendment was filed "4-23-3" but, in fact, it was filed 4/17/03 with certificate of mailing.) The Notice indicates that some status identifiers (following each claim number) have not been presented.

All status identifiers have been added and entry of the amendment is respectfully requested.

  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER 1<sup>ST</sup> OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.111(c)**

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**INTRODUCTORY REMARKS**

In response to the Office Action of 11/27/02, the time for response being extended by 3 months, pursuant to the fee charged to the Assignee's Deposit Account number 16-2480 in the papers submitted herewith, please enter the amendments to the claims and consider the following remarks in support of patentability.

*Amendments to the Claims* begin on page 2 of this paper.

*Remarks/Arguments* begin on page 3 of this paper.

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